Docket No.: 213202.00483 Date: October 16, 2008

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of: DONALD R. RICCI
Application No.: 10/671,716
For: STENT DELIVERY SYSTEM AND METHOD OF USE
Filed: September 29, 2003
Group Art Unit: 3763
MAIL STOP AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
Sir: Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from
the decision dated April 16, 2008 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 25-28, 30-3
and 33-50.
The items checked below are appropriate.
1. \square A Petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the final rejection, together with the \$ 555.00 extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, is being filed concurrently herewith.
2. A Petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the final rejection, together with the \$ extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.
3. A Petition for an additional one-month extension of time to take further action, together with the \$ extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, is being filed concurrently herewith
4. Notice of Appeal Fee

Fee \$270.00
Enclosed
Not required (fee paid in prior appeal)
Deposit Account No. 50-1710
5. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees due with respect to this filing to Deposit Account No. 50-1710.
6. Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 625-3507. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.
Respectfully submitted,

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